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Re: Application of: Saieb-Alrawi-et al.
Serial No.: 09/748,720
Filed: December 26, 2000
For: Excessive Surge Protection Method and Apparatus
Group Art Unit: 2836
Examiner: D. Nguyen
Our Docket: 1505-0094

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In connection with the Office Action dated November 6, 2002 in the above-entitled application, Applicant respectfully requests a three (3) month extension in which to file a response, from February 6, 2003 to May 6, 2003.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$930.00 to cover the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). Also, please provide any further extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any fees which may be due to Deposit Account No. 13-0014, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

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